NOTICE OF A CITIZENS PROJECT UPDATE MEETING FOR THE WIDENING OF CAMDEN ROAD (STATE ROAD 1003) FROM EAST OF OAKLAND AVENUE TO NORTH OF OWEN DRIVE (S.R. 1007)

TIP Project No. U-2810C

Hope Mills, Cumberland County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) will hold a Citizens Project Update meeting on March 18, 2013 in the cafeteria of South View High School, located at 4184 Elk Road, Hope Mills.

NCDOT is currently widening Camden Road to a four-lane; median-divided road with curb & gutter from Hope Mills Road (N.C. 59) to east of Oakland Avenue. A five-lane roadway with curb & gutter was previously planned for the last section of the project from west of Crystal Springs Road to about 1400 feet north of Owen Drive. However, NCDOT now recommends a four-lane; median-divided, curb & gutter roadway for the entire length of the project. This change will allow the project to be consistent with other NCDOT projects statewide. Additional right of way may be needed.

NCDOT representatives will be available at an informal, open house setting between the hours of 4:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. to answer questions and receive comments relative to the proposed changes. The opportunity to submit written comments or questions will be provided. Interested citizens may attend at any time during the above mentioned hours. There will not be a formal presentation.

A map displaying changes to the location and design of the project is available for public review at the NCDOT Division Six Office located at 558 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville. The map is also available online at http://www.ncdot.gov/projects/publicmeetings/. Search for the project using "U-2810C" and click on "Show More" to view the Citizens Project Update Meeting Map.

Anyone desiring additional information may contact Mr. Matthew Potter, Project Development and Environmental Analysis Unit at 1548 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1548, by phone: (919) 707-6036, by fax: (919) 250-4224, or by email: mwpotter@ncdot.gov or Ms. Kimberly Hinton, Human Environment Section at 1598 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1598, by phone: (919) 707-6072, by fax: (919) 212-5785, or by email: khinton@ncdot.gov. Additional comments may be submitted until April 1, 2013.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this meeting. Anyone requiring special services should contact Ms. Hinton as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.

Persons who speak Spanish and do not speak English, or have a limited ability to read, speak or understand English, may receive interpretive services upon request prior to the meeting by calling 1-800-481-6494.